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*Whitehall, September 14.*

THE following Addreſs of the Freeholders of the County of Meath, having been tranſmitted by his Grace the Duke of Rutland, Lord Lieutenant of the Kingdom of Ireland, to the Right Honourable Lord Sydney, His Majeſty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, has, by his Lordſhip, been preſented to the King: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Freeholders of the County of Meath, aſſembled by public Notice from the High Sheriff, at Trim, on the 1ſt of September, 1784.

*Moſt Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Freeholders of the County of Meath, aſſembled by public Notice from the High Sheriff, at Trim, on the 1ſt of September, 1784, beg Leave to offer to your Majeſty this humble Aſſurance of our ſtedfaſt Attachment to your Royal Perſon, Family, and Government, and to the happy Conſtitution of Great Britain and Ireland, under which the Proteſtant Religion, and the Liberties of the Subject, have together grown and flouriſhed, and are wiſely and firmly ſecured. Whilſt we ſee, with Concern and Indignation, the public Peace diſturbed, and the Government inſulted, by the Intemperance of ſome miſguided Perſons in the City of Dublin, we are happy in declaring to your Majeſty, that the Tranquillity of this County has been preſerved without Interruption; and we aſſure your Majeſty, that we will, in our ſeveral Capacities, uſe every Exertion to maintain and cultivate a Diſpoſition to good Order, an Obedience to the Laws, and a Reſpect for the Legiſlature, as the beſt Securities of our Properties, of our Freedom, and of our Religion. The ſpecious Pretence of a Zeal for the Rights and Intereſts of this Kingdom, can never induce us to give our Countenance to Acts of Violence and Outrage againſt the Law: Thoſe Rights and Intereſts muſt ever be, as they ever have been, moſt ſucceſsfully promoted, by a reſpectful and temperate Appeal to your Majeſty's paternal and equal Regard for every Part of your Empire, and to the Wiſdom and Liberality of the Parliaments of Great Britain and Ireland. With theſe Sentiments we have the moſt perfect Confidence, that your Majeſty, together with the Parliaments of both Kingdoms, will give a ſerious and liberal Attention to the Situation of Ireland, with Regard to thoſe Branches of her Trade and Commerce for which, from the peculiar Circumſtances of the Britiſh Empire, both at Home and Abroad, no Proviſions have yet been made. We have obſerved with Gratitude and Satisfaction, that the Importance of this Subject has already attracted your Majeſty's Notice; and we truſt, that after a full Inveſtigation of it, ſuch Regulations will be framed, as ſhall be found beſt calculated to promote the Wealth and the Proſperity of all the Parts of the Empire.

[ Signed by 59 Perſons. ]

*Whitehall, September 14.*

The King has been beep pleaſed to grant to George Huthwaite (eldeſt Son of John Huthwaite, of the Town of Nottingham) and his Iſſue, His Royal Licence and Authority to take and uſe the Surname, and bear the Arms of Donſton, in Conſideration of his Relationſhip in Blood to George Donſton, late of Worksop in the ſaid County, Eſq; deceaſed, and in Gratitude to his Memory, (he having, by his laſt Will, deviſed a conſiderable Eſtate in the ſame County to the ſaid George Huthwaite, and his Iſſue;) ſuch Arms being firſt duly exemplified according to the Laws of Arms, and recorded in the Heralds Office; and alſo to order, that His Majeſty's Conceſſion and Declaration be regiſtered in His College of Arms.

*War-Office, September 11, 1784.*

14*th Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas Galpine, of the 78th Regiment, is appointed to be Lieutenant, vice John Whitelocke.

78*th Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant John Whitelocke, of the 14th Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Galpine.

35*th Regiment of Foot*, Enſign George Hobart, of the 101ſt Regiment, to be Enſign, vice Robert White.

36*th Regiment of Foot*, Lientenant John Whitelocke, of the 78th Regiment, to be Captain of a Company, vice Peter Campbell.

101*ſt Regiment of Foot*, Enſign Robert White, of the 35th Regiment, to be Enſign, vice George Hobart.

ANNAPOLIS ROYAL.

——— Hecht, Gent. to be Commiſſary of Muſters.

——— Mac Intyre to be Surgeon.

HALIFAX.

Reverend Doctor Byles to be Chaplain.

Surgeon Thomas Irwin, of the 39th Regiment, to be Surgeon.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

Samuel Hake, Gent. to be Commiſſary of Stores and Proviſions.

Reverend Doctor Samuel Inglis to be Chaplain.

Doctor John Calef to be Surgeon.

CAPE BRETON.

——— Boiſſeau, Gent. to be Commiſſary of Muſters.

Gregory

T. Bayne

[ Price Three-Pence Halfpenny. ]

Gregory Townſend, (late Deputy Commiſſary in America,) to be Commiſſary of Stores and Proviſions.
Reverend Benjamin Lovel to be Chaplain.
Doctor William Smith to be Surgeon.

ST. JOHN's ISLAND.

Captain John Mac Donald, on the Half-pay of the late 84th Regiment, to be Fort Major and Barrack-Maſter.
Henry Widmore Perry, Gent. to be Commiſſary of Stores and Proviſions.
Hoſpital Mate Thomas Walker to be Surgeon,

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, September* 4, 1784.

NOTICE is hereby given, that there will not be any Drawing-Room at St. James's, till Wedneſday the 22d Inſtant, which Day will be the Anniverſary of His Majeſty's Coronation.

WHEREAS many of the Salaries, Compenſations, and Bills approved by the late Lord Chamberlain, and payable at the Office from the 5th of April, 1783, and ending the 5th of January, 1784, have not yet been claimed, notwithſtanding repeated Applications have been made for that Purpoſe: Public Notice is therefore given to all whom it may concern, that the Pay-Maſter will continue to attend at the Office every Wedneſday, between the Hours of Eleven in the Forenoon and Three in the Afternoon, until the 30th of September next, and no longer; and that then the ſeveral Accounts of the late Lord Chamberlain will be delivered to the Auditors of the Impreſt, and the Balance immediately paid as the Lords of His Majeſty's Treaſury ſhall pleaſe to appoint.

General Poſt-Office, Auguſt 21, 1784.

*PUBLIC Notice is hereby given, That, by an Act paſſed the laſt Seſſion of Parliament, "For granting to His Majeſty, certain additional Rates of "Poſtage, for Conveyance of Letters and Packets by "the Poſt within the Kingdom of Great Britain, and "for further preventing Frauds and Abuſes in relation "to the ſending and receiving of Letters and Packets "free from Poſtage;" It is, amongſt other Things, enacted,*

That from and after the 31ſt Inſtant, Letters and Packets, to and from Places, not exceeding one Poſt Stage, within Great-Britain, ſhall pay, in Addition to the preſent Rate of Poſtage, Single 1d. Double 2d. Treble 3d. and the Ounce 4d.

That Letters and Packets above one, and not exceeding two Poſt Stages, within England, ſhall pay in Addition, Single 1d. and ſo in Proportion.

That Letters and Packets above two Poſt Stages, and not exceeding 80 Miles, within England, ſhall pay in Addition, Single 1d. and ſo in Proportion.

That Letters and Packets above 80, and not exceeding 150 Miles, within England, ſhall pay in Addition, Single 1d. and ſo in Proportion.

That Letters and Packets above 150 Miles, within England, ſhall pay in Addition, Single 2d. and ſo in Proportion.

That Letters and Packets to or from the General Poſt-Office in London, to or from the City of Edinburgh, Dumfries and Cockburnſpeth, ſhall pay in Addition, Single 1d. and ſo in Proportion.

That Letters and Packets above one Poſt Stage, and not exceeding 50 Miles, within Scotland, ſhall pay in Addition, Single 1d. and ſo in Proportion.

That Letters and Packets above 50, and not exceeding 80 Miles, within Scotland, ſhall pay in Addition, Single 1d. and ſo in Proportion.

That Letters and Packets above 80, and not exceeding 150 Miles, within Scotland, ſhall pay in Addition, Single 1d. and ſo in Proportion.

That Letters and Packets above 150 Miles, within Scotland, ſhall pay in Addition, Single 2d. and ſo in Proportion.

It is provided, that no Letter or Packet to or from Glaſgow, or the intermediate Places by Carliſle, not paſſing through London, ſhall pay an higher Rate than if ſent through Edinburgh to or from Glaſgow; and that no Letter or Packet ſent to or from Edinburgh, or any intermediate Place in England and Scotland, North of London, ſhall pay an higher Rate than 7d. for a Single Letter, and ſo in Proportion.

It is further provided, that no Letter or Packet, together with its Contents, ſhall be taxed at an higher Rate than as a Treble Letter, unleſs it ſhall weigh an Ounce, when it ſhall be rated as Four Single Letters; and every Quarter of an Ounce above that Weight ſhall be charged as a Single Letter.

It is likewiſe enacted, that from and after the laſt Seſſion of Parliament, no Letter or Packet ſent by Poſt, within Great Britain, directed by any Member of either Houſe of Parliament, ſhall be exempted from the Duty of Poſtage, unleſs the whole Superſcription thereof ſhall be of the Hand-writing of the Member, and ſhall have endorſed thereon, in the ſame Hand-writing, the Name of the Member, Poſt Town from whence the ſame is to be ſent, and the Day, Month, and Year, when put into the Poſt Office, the Day of the Month to be in Words at length, and unleſs every ſuch Letter and Packet ſhall be put into the General, or other Poſt-Office, or into a Receiving Houſe, on the Day of the Date put upon ſuch Letter or Packet: And no Letter or Packet directed to any ſuch Member ſhall be exempted from the Duty of Poſtage, unleſs ſuch as ſhall, during the Sitting of Parliament, or within Forty Days before, or Forty Days after any Summons or Prorogation thereof, be directed to any ſuch Member, at the Place where he ſhall actually be at the Time of the Delivery thereof, or at his uſual Place of Reſidence in London, or at the Houſe, or Lobby of the Houſe of Parliament, of which he is a Member.

It is further enacted, that all Perſons who, by Virtue of their Offices, ſend and receive Letters and Packets free of Poſtage, ſhall ſend and receive them free, in the Manner, and under ſuch Reſtrictions, as any Member of Parliament.

It is alſo enacted, that if any Perſon ſhall forge or counterfeit the Hand-writing of any Perſon whatſoever, in the Superſcription of any Letter or Packet, in order to avoid the Payment of Poſtage, or ſhall forge, counterfeit, or alter, or procure to be done, the Date upon ſuch Superſcription, or ſhall write, and ſend by Poſt, or cauſe to be done, any Letter or Packet, the Superſcription or Cover whereof ſhall be forged or counterfeited, or the Date thereon altered, in order to avoid the Duty of Poſtage, knowing the ſame to be forged, counterfeited, or altered, every Perſon ſo offending, ſhall be deemed guilty of Felony, and ſhall be tranſported for Seven Years.

*By Command of the Poſtmaſter-General,*
Anthony Todd, *Sec.*

*** *It is recommended to the Members of both Houſes of Parliament, to write the Name of the Poſt-Town, and the Date, in Words at Length, at the Top of the Superſcription of their Letters, that it may be diſtinct from the Direction underneath.*

Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich, April 21, 1784.

*THE Commiſſioners and Governors of this Hoſpital hereby give Notice, that at Salters Hall in London, on Wedneſday the 27th of October next, or as ſoon after as may be, the* Lands, Mill, *and* Collieries *at* THROCKLEY *in the County of Northumberland, will be lett, together or ſeparate, on Leaſe or Leaſes, for 21 Years or under, to commence upon the 12th Day of May, 1785.*

*All Perſons deſirous to take the ſaid Lands, Mill, and Collieries, or any of them, are requeſted to give in their Propoſals in Writing to Mr. Ibbetſon, at the Admiralty Office, London, at any Time before the Day above-mentioned, or on that Day, between the Hours of Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, and One o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Salters Hall, in London; and to apply for Particulars to Meſſ Walton and Turner, Receivers for the ſaid Hoſpital, at Farnacres, near Newcaſtle upon Tyne.*

Eaſt India Houſe, September 9, 1784.

*THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt-Indies, do hereby give Notice,*

*That a General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at their Houſe in Leadenhall-ſtreet, on Wedneſday the 13th Day of April, 1785, for the Election of Six Directors of the ſaid Company for Four Years.*

Navy-Office, September 2, 1784.

*THE Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy give Notice, That on Tueſday the 21ſt Inſtant, they will be ready to treat with ſuch Perſons as are willing to ſupply His Majeſty's ſeveral Yards with Copper Sheets, on ſtanding Contracts; Government allowing the whole of the Diſcount on Navy Bills.*

*Further Particulars may be known by enquiring at this Office.*

Union Fire Office, September 13, 1784.

*THE Directors of this Society, for Inſuring Goods and Merchandize from Loſs by Fire, give Notice, that the Half-Yearly General Meeting of the Members of the ſaid Society, for the Choice of Eight Directors for the Year enſuing, will be held, by Balloting, at their Office in Maiden lane, near Cheapſide, on Tueſday the 21ſt Inſtant, from Nine in the Forenoon, to Six in the Evening; and that the ſaid General Meeting will be continued by Adjournment till Wedneſday the Day following, at Four in the Afternoon, where the Proprietors are deſired to be preſent.*

*NOTICE is hereby given, that the unclaimed Shares of the Produce of the French Frigate La Naide, taken by His Majeſty's Ship the Sceptre, Samuel Graves, Eſq; Commander, on the 13th of April, 1783, will be paid on Thurſday the 7th of October, 1784, at the French Horn, in Crutched-fryars, London; and that the Prize Liſt for the ſaid Frigate will be there recalled on the Firſt Thurſday in every Month to the End of Three Years from the ſaid Day.*

Joſeph Davies, *of Linſted in Kent, Agent.*

NOTICE is hereby given, That the Partnerſhip between Thomas Turner the Younger and Richard Finch, of the Parish of Stonehouſe in the County of Glouceſter, Clothiers, expired on the 25th Day of March laſt; it is therefore required, that all Perſons who are indebted to the ſaid Partnerſhip Account, are to pay the ſame to the ſaid Thomas Turner the Younger, he being fully authorized and impowered to receive and ſettle the ſame.

*Tho. Turner, ſen.*
*Rich. Finch.*

CORN-EXCHANGE, LONDON.

*RETURNS of* CORN *and* GRAIN,

From Auguſt 30, to September 4, 1784.

| | Quarters. | Price. | | | Average Price per Quarter. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | £. | s. | d. | £. | s. | d. |
| Barley | 130 | 157 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 2 |
| Beans | 588 | 801 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 3 |
| Malt | 389 | 757 | 18 | 2 | 1 | 18 | 11 |
| Oats | 4785 | 4846 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| Peaſe | 224 | 342 | 12 | 7 | 1 | 10 | 7 |
| Rye | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Wheat | 2174 | 5208 | 19 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 9 |
| Bigg | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Beer | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |

THE Partnerſhip ſubſiſting between David Campbell, John Lever, and Michael Byers, was, by mutual Conſent, diſſolved the 1ſt Day of Auguſt, 1784. The Debts due by the Partnerſhip will be diſcharged by the ſaid David Campbell, who is authorized to receive all Debts due to the late Partnerſhip.

*David Campbell.*
*John Lever.*
*Michael Byers.*

N. B. The Woollen Branch will be continued by the ſaid Michael Byers and Joſhua Crompton. David Campbell carries on the Silk Handkerchief and Fuſtian Branch in the Warehouſe occupied by the late Partnerſhip.

Cambridge, September 10, 1784.

THE Copartnerſhip between us the underwritten John Purchas the Elder and Thomas Francis, both of Cambridge in the County of Cambridge, Merchants, being this Day diſſolved; we do hereby give Notice thereof to all Perſons concerned; and all Perſons that ſtand indebted to the ſaid Copartnerſhip, are deſired to pay their Debts to Mr. John Purchas, jun. and Mrs Edward Ind, Brewers, of Cambridge, and Mr. Samuel Brown, Merchant, of Lynn, or to ſuch Perſons as they ſhall appoint.

*John Purchas, jun.*
*Tho Francis.*

TO be peremptorily ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Edward Leeds, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-inn, London, on Monday the 8th Day of November next, between the Hours of Five and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, in Seven ſeparate and diſtinct Lots, The valuable and improveable Freehold Eſtate, late of Thomas Jones, Gentleman, deceaſed, ſituate in the County and County Borough of Carmarthen, conſiſting of a Farm near Kidwelly, and ſeveral Meſſuages and Meadows in and near the Town of Carmarthen. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers, of Mr. Philip Davies, No. 29, Edward-ſtreet, Portman-ſquare, and of Mr. Hugh Evans, at Llandilo, near Carmarthen, who will ſhew the Premiſes.

THE Creditors of Benjamin May, late of Ratcliff Highway, Currier and Leather-cutter, may receive a Dividend of his Eſtate and Effects by applying to Thomas Fothergill, Attorney at Law, Boar's Head-court, Gracechurch-ſtreet, any Wedneſday or Friday after the 20th of this Inſtant September.

PURſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Thomas Gibbs, now or late of Alceſter in the County of Warwick, Butcher, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects. This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named and authorized, or the major Part of them, intend to meet on the 7th Day of October next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the Angel Inn in Alceſter; where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf between the Hours of Eleven and One of the ſame Day, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Samuel Blanchard, of Trowbridge in the County of Wilts, Carpenter, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf